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PADUCAH, KENTUCKY, SATURDAY, AUGUST 21, 1897.

TEN CENTS A WEEK

## ONE DOLLAR WHEAT.

Reached With a Rush and the Wildest En-  
thusiasm. Operators Act Like  
Madmen.

Sensational Rise of Ten Cents in  
Two Days.

\$1.07 AT PHILADELPHIA.

\$1.05 the New York Price With a  
Bearish Tone.

TOP FIGURES IN PADUCAH.

Chicago, Aug. 21.—Cash wheat  
sold at one dollar before noon and  
then dropped to 99 1/2. December  
wheat rose to 97 cents. The scene  
in the wheat pit when the dollar  
mark was reached baffles description.  
The anticipated price was reached  
with the wildest cheers and tremen-  
dous enthusiasm. The operators acted  
like mad men, throwing their  
hats in the air and in every way  
showing their enthusiasm. Wheat  
closed at 87 1/2 cents Thursday night,  
12 1/2 cents rise in two days. Makes  
the heads of the oldest operators turn  
dizzy.

One Dollar and Five.

New York, Aug. 21.—Cash wheat  
reached \$1.05. The wheat pit has  
been the scene of the intensest bel-  
lam, the oldest members failing to  
recall anything like it in the past. A  
bearish tone rules now, though many  
predict \$1.25 yet for wheat.

One Dollar and Seven.

Philadelphia, Aug. 21.—Cash  
wheat reached one dollar and seven  
cents. The wild scenes of yesterday  
were repeated today.

One Dollar Wheat.

Cincinnati, O., Aug. 21.—Sep-  
tember wheat is selling here today  
for \$1 per bushel.

Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 21.—Sep-  
tember wheat rose half today to \$1.

THE HORN PRICE.

Paducah Buyers are Paying a  
Stiff Price for the Corn.

The local buyers are today paying  
97 cents for wheat.

Later—As we go to press the Pa-  
ducah Milling and Elevator Com-  
pany began to pay one dollar for  
wheat.

MINNEAPOLIS WAS  
HILARIOUS.

Mr. Pillsbury Hired a Band to  
Play a Dollar Wheat March.

Minneapolis, Minn., Aug. 20.—  
Cash wheat sold here today at a dol-  
lar, the first time since the summer of  
1896. Predictions are that figures  
will follow within a few days. In view  
of the advance of six cents today.  
On the Chamber of Commerce floor  
there was a shout of expectancy from  
the pit when the price of wheat  
approached a dollar. The market  
was strong, opening three cents high-  
er than yesterday's close, supported  
by strong foreign news and bullish  
Northwest reports.

The price of cash wheat had just  
passed the dollar point when from  
down the hall came the sound of  
musical instruments. There was a rush  
to the door and the crowd broke into  
a cheer as the corn-dor came C. A.  
Pillsbury at the head of a band of  
music, which was pounding out a dol-  
lar wheat memorial march. Mr.  
Pillsbury led his band through the  
doorway and on to the floor, while  
hats went up and cheers proclaimed  
the entire satisfaction with which a  
majority received the news of dollar  
wheat. For years wheat has been  
selling at a low price. There was an  
enormous overproduction in nearly  
all countries. The world could not  
consume the wheat, and for the first  
time in the history of the grain  
trade fifty-cent wheat became a fact.

CONDITION OF WHEAT.

About An Average Crop is Pre-  
dicted for the Northwest.

Minneapolis, Aug. 21.—The Min-  
neapolis Journal has just published  
the sixth annual estimate of H. V.  
Jones, its commercial editor, of the  
spring wheat crop of the Northwest  
made after a three weeks' trip through  
Minnesota and the Dakotas, during  
which time Mr. Jones made a close  
personal inspection of the fields. He  
estimates the yield as follows:  
Minnesota—Total acreage 4,500,  
000, average yield per acre 11 bush-  
els, total yield 49,500,000 bushels.  
North Dakota—Total acreage 4,  
000,000, average yield per acre 9  
bushels, total yield 36,000,000  
bushels.  
South Dakota—Total acreage 2,  
000,000, average yield per acre 9  
bushels, total yield 18,000,000  
bushels.

Number man on Tennessee  
river, engaged in the trade  
for over 20 years. He is sixty-five  
years old, and although he has been  
almost constantly exposed to all sorts  
of weather, has never been ill a day  
in his life, and is still young and  
sturdy.

BASE BALL.

GAMES YESTERDAY.  
New York, 3; Louisville, 9.  
Chicago, 6-1; Washington, 2-11.  
Boston, 15; Pittsburgh, 2.  
Cincinnati, 2-4; Philadelphia, 6-3.  
Brooklyn, 12; St. Louis, 7.  
Cleveland, 5; Baltimore, 0.

PRESENT STANDING OF CLUBS.  
Clubs— Played Won Lost Per Cen  
Boston..... 19 12 7 63  
Baltimore..... 18 10 8 56  
Cincinnati..... 17 11 6 65  
New York..... 16 10 6 63  
Cleveland..... 15 12 3 80  
Pittsburgh..... 14 10 4 71  
Philadelphia..... 13 10 3 77  
St. Louis..... 12 10 2 83  
Brooklyn..... 11 9 2 82  
Washington..... 10 8 2 80  
St. Louis..... 9 8 1 89

SCHEDULE FOR TODAY.  
Louisville at New York.  
Cleveland at Baltimore.  
Pittsburgh at Boston.  
St. Louis at Brooklyn.  
Cincinnati at Philadelphia.  
Chicago at Washington.

In yesterday's game at Brooklyn,  
N. Y., Billy Southworth, the well known  
little Paducah pitcher, twirled the  
last eight innings for the St. Louis  
Browns and made an excellent show-  
ing. The other club run in seven  
scores before Billy was put in the  
box, and the lead could not be over-  
come.

The Eclipse and Little Nick base-  
ball clubs will play a match game of  
ball at the foot of Eighth street at  
2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.  
The players are as follows:

CLIPPING.	LITTLE NICKS.
Holliday	1f Evans
Pieper	1b Jones
L. Clyne	ss Johnson
G. Brahe	2b McGargill
Williams	3b Walker
Edwards	rf Dunn
Holliday	cf Winphrey
H. Clyne	c Smith
A. Brahe	p Pruss

AMUSEMENTS NOTES.

Miss Bowen Closes Her Engage-  
ment Tonight at La Belle.

Miss Bowen Coming to Paducah  
On October 21.

Miss Bowen, O. Bowen, of the  
St. Louis Stock Company, who  
is engaged to be married to a  
young lady at the La Belle  
Hotel, makes her last appear-  
ance in Paducah today. She  
will leave at once for New  
York.

The close of the summer season is  
near at hand, and Miss Bowen ex-  
pects to secure an engagement with  
some good company, probably with  
one of Hoyt's, and deems it best to  
go to New York at once for this  
purpose. Her place at La Belle  
will be filled by Mrs. Bourne, and  
both the latter and her daughter,  
Miss Hazel, are cast for next week's  
play.

Miss Bowen requests the Sex to  
say that she is grateful for the many  
courtesies and kindnesses shown her  
by the people of Paducah during her  
summer here, and that she hopes to  
be back again next season.

Mr. J. H. Seamon, of St. Louis,  
advance agent for Buffalo Bill's Wild  
West Show, is at the Palmer.  
This great aggregation will be in Paducah  
on October 21, as stated exclusively  
in the Sex several weeks ago. It  
has been twelve years since Buffalo  
Bill was here, and since then he has  
made radical changes in his enter-  
tainment.

YOUNG PADUCAH DOCTOR

Goes West—Dr. Tom Moss Leaves  
For Wyoming.

Dr. Tom Moss left at noon for  
Green River, Wyoming, accompanied  
by his two little nephews, Jack and  
Moss Wheat. This rising young  
physician goes west to practice and  
grow up with the country, and his  
many friends wish him success.

MARKETS.

(Reported Daily by Lacy & Co. Company.)

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 21.—Sept.  
wheat opened at 98 1/2, highest \$1.00  
closed at 99 1/2.  
Sept. corn opened at 31, and  
closed at 31 1/2.  
Sept. oats opened at 19 1/2 and  
closed at 19 3/4.  
Sept. pork opened at \$8.85 and  
closed at \$8.80.  
Sept. lard opened at \$4.65 and  
closed at \$4.60.  
Sept. ribs opened at \$5.37 and  
closed at \$5.30.

Cleanances today 465,000 bushels.  
The challenge of Mr. Joe Parker,  
the Popular nominee for clerk of the  
court, of appeals, for a series of joint  
debates with Mr. J. G. Bolter, the  
Republican nominee, has been de-  
clined. Mr. Bolter is willing to ac-  
cept if the challenge is extended to  
the National Democratic and Progres-  
sive Incomes.

The cheapest excursion of the sea-  
son leaves Paducah via Illinois Cen-  
tral railroad, Wednesday  
August 22, 12:10 noon, for  
Chicago, and return trip  
leaves Chicago for Paducah  
August 31.

## A TRAIN FIGHT.

Two Coal Men Have a Dispute  
Over a Bill.

SCRAPPED IN THE SMOKE

Some General News of Interest to  
Railroad Men and Other  
People.

OTHER ILLINOIS CENTRAL NEWS.

There was an exciting fight by two  
coal men this morning on the 8  
o'clock passenger train soon after she  
pulled out of the Union Depot.

Their names were Booth and Wor-  
rell, of Carbondale, and the dispute,  
it is alleged, arose over a coal bill.  
They began fighting in the aisle of  
the smoker and fought all over seats,  
passengers and the trainmen who  
were trying to separate them. Both  
used their fists with telling effect, and  
Booth had his antagonist, who was  
much the larger man, down in a sec-  
ond when Conductor Conners, the news  
"bunch" and a couple of train men  
succeeded in tearing them apart. The  
faces of both were badly scratched  
up, but when the train left the Broad-  
way office they both occupied the  
same coach, and seemed to be prac-  
tically satisfied with what they had  
done to each other.

The B. of L. E. Journal in its last  
issue contains this article on the fi-  
nancial injury by the use of liquor.

A Pennsylvania grocer received  
the following letter:  
"DEAR SIR:—Having been accus-  
tomed to spending 20 cents a day for  
whiskey, I find by saving it I can  
order from you during one year, 3  
barrels of flour, 100 pounds granu-  
lated sugar, 25 pounds corn starch,  
125 pounds macaroni, 60 pounds  
white beans, 5 pounds ground pep-  
per, 12 scrub brushes, 50 pounds  
salsoda, 20 pounds roasted coffee, 25  
cans tomatoes, 24 cans macaroni, 50  
pounds best raisins, 12 packages  
acacia, 40 pounds codfish, 110 pounds  
buckwheat flour, 100 pounds hominy,  
18 pounds mince meat, 12 brooms, 12  
bottles machine oil, 20 pounds  
oolong tea, 24 cans green peas, 20  
pounds dried apples, 25 pounds  
canned 40 pounds laundry starch,  
25 pounds table salt, 25 pounds lard,  
25 pounds maple syrup, 100 bars  
soap, 2 gallons chow-chow, 1 round  
note paper, 500 envelopes, 2 news-  
papers for a year. I had no idea my  
drinking had been costing me so  
much, and believe now I can live  
better and buy more for my family."

NEWS AND COMMENTS.

A report is in circulation in Wash-  
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and ministers of the United States to  
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crowd, killed himself because of the  
belief that he had shot his friend.

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have contributed \$1,000 each to send  
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dyke, the calculation being that a  
sufficient number will die to rein-  
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found or not.

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against 368,338 for 1896, and 784,  
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The success of the general  
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Log Cabin excursion again Mon-  
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& Rogers goods, just received.

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Cheap excursion to Chicago Aug-  
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Guaranteed to cure, or your money  
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Have you tried Stutz's Nectar  
Cream? It is delicious.

## APPLIED A MADSTONE.

A Young Man Places His Wisdom  
and His Faith in the  
Mad Stone.

Mr. P. R. Turk, of Bardwell, was  
bitten by a mad dog last Monday  
morning. He came immediately to  
the city and applied a mad stone  
which adhered to the wound ten  
hours and fifteen minutes. Yester-  
day he returned and applied the stone  
the second time and it stuck for four  
hours.

Mr. Turk is a young man and  
seems to feel relieved in mind even if  
the doctors do claim there is nothing  
in it, but it may be possible that the  
doctors are wrong in this case. At  
any rate a person bitten by a mad  
dog would be very foolish not to ap-  
ply a mad stone, if one were in  
reach.

## GEN. PROSPERITY

Has Put in His Appearance at  
All Trade Centers.

No Such Times Have Been Known  
Since 1892. Everybody is  
Busy.

Says Dun & Co.'s weekly review  
of trade: "Not for several years  
have the telegraphic reports from  
various cities in all parts of the coun-  
try been as encouraging or shown as  
uniform improvement as this week.  
The markets are called crazy by  
some, but fairly represent the people,  
whose confidence in the future is  
strong and increasing. Nothing ap-  
pears to check it."

Says Bradstreet: "Special tele-  
grams from trade centers throughout  
the country emphasize the growing  
prosperity of the farmer, due to  
higher prices for almost all agricul-  
tural produce still in his hands, and  
point to a continuation of the demand  
which has been conspicuous within  
the past few weeks. The volume of  
trade continues to increase and prices  
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Misses' Chocolate Sandals, all sizes, \$1.75 shoe at \$1.25  
Misses' Tan Sandals, all sizes, \$4.25 and \$1.50 shoe at 68c  
Child's Oxfords Sandals, 8-1-2 to 11, \$1.50 shoe at \$1.15  
Child's Dong, Sandals, 8-1-2 to 11, \$1.50 shoe at 98c  
Child's Tan Sandals, 8-1-2 to 11, \$1 shoe at 57c  
Child's Dong, Oxfords, 8-1-2 to 11, \$1 shoe at 43c

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EXTRA CUT ON SHOES.

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SHOES.

20 per cent. off on all summer vici kids  
and tans from \$4.50 down.

30 per cent. off on all Low Quarter  
Shoes, such as Oxfords, Prince Alberts, etc

\$2.10 buys our \$3.00 bicycle shoes.

\$1.65 buys our \$2.25 bicycle shoes.

\$4.50 buys any of our  
\$6.00 Patent Leathers.

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Buys at these prices.

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in Fine Footwear.

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4.00 Shoes reduced to 3.00.  
3.00 Shoes reduced to 2.00.  
2.00 Shoes reduced to 1.25.  
1.50 Shoes reduced to .98.

Come and see what Values your  
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Geo. BERNHARD'S, 306 Broadway.

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 21, 1897.

A PENNSYLVANIA paper puts it tersely, thus: "If silver continues to decline in value it will be free."

Western Tennessee and Western Kentucky never have been in better shape than at present. The farmers are enjoying big crops of everything and the prices are correspondingly large.

Every returned visitor to St. Louis reports the biggest kind of a wholesale trade. St. Louis is forging rapidly to the front and is now gaining much of the business that her location entitles her to.

Paducah's wheat buyers are just like her merchants, right up with the times. Ever since the excitement began in wheat, Paducah buyers have paid more than Chicago. Wheat brought 94 cents here yesterday with Chicago 93.

SENATOR TILMAN says that dollar wheat is a fallacy and predicts a bright future for Bryan by saying that he will be elected president in 1899. One cannot help admiring Tilman's fidelity to his belief, even if he is a crank of the first water.

The rumors of new buildings soon to be erected in Paducah indicate that investors have the utmost confidence in her future. There is no reason why she should not even surpass in the coming five years her remarkable growth of the last five years.

THE EARLINGTON "BEE" says: "The market for skilled labor, notwithstanding the continued coal strike, continues to show marked improvement. The coal strike is the only very unfavorable thing in the general good condition of the whole country, and Hopkins county miners are not contributing to the continuance of this starvation movement."

Railroad earnings are increasing in all parts of the country. Large additions have been made to the working force, better hours are given, and as a consequence more earnings and steady employment. The July earnings of 118 railroads, aggregating nearly 100,000 miles of road, aggregate 8 1/2 per cent. higher than in July, 1894. This is encouraging to the railroad men who stood firmly in line for sound money last fall.

ACCORDING to the Earlington "Bee" one Dan Llewellyn, who was sent to Earlington by Indiana miners to instruct the workmen of Hopkins county in the duties they owe to their fellow men, left sooner than he expected. He met the workmen, and he also met an unpaid board bill, due a widow—a bill made some years ago when Llewellyn was an employee of the Hecla Coal Company. The walking delegate left and the board bill is still unpaid.

THE "Silver Republicans" so called are not Republicans in any sense. They are co-operating thoroughly and with the greatest earnestness with the silver Democrats, as is shown by the efforts of ex-Congressman Towne to persuade the Ohio Populists against the nomination of a separate ticket which would reduce the prospect of the election of a silver Democrat to the Senate of the United States. Towne's work at Columbus in behalf of the silver Democratic candidate for the Senate tore the mask off the so-called silver Republicans.

DUN'S "Review of last week, commenting on business conditions, says: "Every city reporting this week notes increase in trade, and nearly all bright crop prospects. The great change in business is emphasized by

the presence of a multitude of buyers from all parts of the country, by their statements of the situation at their homes, and more forcibly yet by the heavy purchases they are making. But the customary signs of prosperity are not lacking. The strong rise in stocks, the growth of bank clearings and railroad earnings, the heavy speculations in many products, but most of all in wheat, have made the week one of surpassing interest even to those who best remember the upward rush in 1879."

"The evidence accumulates with each day's advices that the long-continued depression in financial circles has passed, and thanks to five years of forced economy and cessation of speculation, coupled with today's abundant harvest at remunerative prices to the agriculturists, a new prosperity is coming to the people."

[From address of Comptroller Eekels (Dem.) before American Bankers' Association, August 18, 1897.]

THERE was an advance in prices of corn, oats, rye, hay, potatoes, wheat, beans, cotton-seed oil, hemp, bays, bacon, lard, rice, eggs, mutton, cotton, tobacco, wool, and other articles of farm production during the month of July. Commenting upon this fact, Bradstreet says: "This is evidence of a healthful ground swell of demand for staple products and emphasizes the radical improvement in the situation of the American agriculturist who has had no such opportunity to reap a large share of the rewards of labor for years."

THE reports of the exports of the fiscal year just ended show that the bulk of the money coming in from abroad in payment of our exports went to the farmer. The exports of cattle amounted to \$36,557,451; barley, \$7,646,374; corn, \$54,087,152; oats, \$8,756,207; rye, \$3,667,505; wheat, \$59,920,178; flour, \$55,914,347; oil cake meal, \$9,611,044; cottonseed oil, \$6,897,331; tobacco, \$5,895,817; vegetables, \$2,337,924; provisions, \$137,138,804; cotton, \$230,890,971. This is hard on the silver orators who are trying to work the farmer this year.

BUSINESS conditions in various parts of the country continue to improve. The Newark, Conn., Woolen Mills last week resumed work, notifying their hundreds of operators that night work is likely to be required; the Alabama Rolling Mills at Birmingham announce a resumption of work; the Howard Harrison Iron Co. at Bessemer, Ala., has increased its force, and the pipe works at that place resumed operations; the Providence Mine at Scranton, Pa., which has been idle two years, will resume work at once; the Delaware Iron Works at Newcastle have resumed operations, giving employment to 500 persons, and the wallpaper factory at Newark, Del., will soon resume; the Edgemore Iron Co., at Newcastle, Del., has increased its force; the coal miners at Nashville, Ill., have received an increase of 20 cents per ton on their wages for mining coal; the pottery manufacturers in New Jersey have agreed to advance wages; the Southern Railway Co. has put all the men in its shop at nine hours a day; the Hutchinson Coal Mfg. Co., of Newark, Conn., will resume at once with 500 operatives. This only a small share of the prosperity developments of a single week.

THE COAL MINERS' STRIKE. The greatest crime against labor that has been committed this year is the great coal miners' strike. Even if the strikers had good reason for their action, they committed a great blunder, from their own standpoint, in ordering the strike during the dull summer months, when one-fourth of the coal mines could supply the demand. The strike has been in force seven weeks, and the strikers are no nearer victory than the day the first miner threw down his tools. So that now we see that an attempt is being made to call out organized labor all over the country, a call having been issued for a meeting of the heads of the various labor organizations at St. Louis August 30. They now propose to tie up the railroads, in order to force the coal operators to concede the demands of the miners.

Should the strike prove a success, which is most improbable, the miners have lost more during their voluntary idleness than they could make up in twelve months of wages at their own price. The only hindrance now to a general resumption of work in nearly all lines of manufacturing business is the present strike, which has produced a coal famine in certain vital points. The present strike originated in the Pittsburgh district of Pennsylvania. The history of the strike shows that the West Virginia mines and nearly all of the southern mines were perfectly satisfied to continue at work. The same is true of a large part of the Ohio, Indiana and Illinois miners. The grievance of the miners of one district is the cause of the whole trouble, and there is much reason to believe that the jealousy of the coal

operators among themselves has much to do with it as the grievance of the strikers. The public sympathizes with miners who do not make living wages. But the public has no sympathy with a "sympathetic" strike. It is unreasonable and unjust. And nothing today could possibly be more unpopular or could possibly hurt the cause of organized labor more than a general sympathetic strike of other labor organizations.

What of Silver?  
From the "Blue Democrat."

There appears to be a general belief that the great prospective gold output in British America and Alaska will send the price of the other metal up. "An augmentation of the world's gold yield could not fail to increase the value of silver," says the London "Globe." "When California and Australia poured their auriferous riches into the market, silver, like all other commodities, acquired an enhanced value." That paper takes care to add, though, that at that time the United States "did not accumulate the white metal, whereas now these have become so enormous that silver sales can only be effected at a sacrifice."

The words last quoted from the British paper show one reason why no expansion in the gold yield that is within the bounds of probability can materially increase the price of silver. A far stronger reason, however, why silver cannot go up much is that the cheapening of the processes of production permits silver to be mined at a profit at the quotations of two or three weeks ago, and that even a minute advance in prices above that low level would reopen many mines, greatly increase the output and send prices down again. It should be remembered, too, that this cheapening of productive processes is steadily under way, and that the 60c an ounce rate, which is not now prohibitive, could possibly be cut to 50 cents or 40 cents two or three years hence and held at that level without closing the mines. Another reason why silver is likely to stay low unless the demand for it greatly increases is that considerable quantities of it are obtained in gold and lead mines as a by-product, and this, of course, will continue.

Gold production has been increasing by leaps and bounds in the past few years, and yet this has not strengthened the silver market. In 1890 the world's yield of gold was about \$119,000,000, while the steady and rapid advance every year since sent 1896's product up to \$210,000,000. Silver prices in these seven years have gone rapidly downward, and have just touched the lowest level ever reached.

There is a chance that the world's production of gold in 1897 will be \$230,000,000 or \$240,000,000, and it is likely to be \$300,000,000 or more by the year 1900. When the California and Australian gold fields were furnishing their largest output, which more than tripled the annual gold yield of a few years earlier, the effect on silver was very slight, as seen by the market ratio covered by the metals during the years covered by the gold discoveries and greatest output in these regions. Nobody, of course, believes that the recent drop in silver far below the 50c line will be continued. An advance above that mark may soon take place again, but the general tendency of silver, taking the annual average, will undoubtedly be downward despite the tremendous growth in gold production, unless an immense increase in demand for silver should be had, and even this influence would be only temporary, for each advance in price would open up new mines or reopen old ones.

## NEW SCHOOL

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The building committee of the board of education was last night instructed to secure a suitable school building in Rowland place for the nine months' term soon to begin, and the building committee was empowered to give it the necessary requisites. As yet the building has not been secured. It was the board's first intention to rent the old grocery near the Faxon place, but satisfactory arrangements could not be made for it, and it may become necessary to select another one.

## A SPECULATORS' OPINION.

Remarks on the Wheat Situation From One Who Knows.

Toledo, O., Aug. 18.—A special to the Cincinnati "Commercial-Tribune" says:

Frank I. King, of the well known old grain firm of C. A. King & Co., says: "Ohio, which is the largest winter wheat state, has a crop of nearly 45,000,000 bushels, twice as much as a year ago, and with the good quality against very poor last season it will net the farmers of the state fully \$15,000,000 more than a year ago. Other states, except Illinois and Missouri, where they were blighted, will get somewhat more for their wheat crop than last year. The demand will be large, unless foreign crops turn out better than is now expected. Almost every country in Europe has less than a year ago. Stocks visible and invisible are 15,997,197. Of this number 14,465,571 are attending public schools, and the balance is in private institutions. This will convey some idea of the work that is being done for the education of the people through public schools. The number of pupils in private institutions is 1,561,826. Those who believe that public education is the surest safeguard for a republican form of government ought

sian ports is unusually strong. This has for some years been a good shipping point via Montreal and other ports for points in Russia. There is one flouring mill here which turns out nearly 2000 barrels of flour daily and almost every barrel of it goes to Russia this year.

A prominent shipper said today that there would be more wheat shipped out of Ohio to France and Russia than has gone to those countries from this state in twenty-five years, if not more than has ever gone there before, and that they were willing to pay larger prices than for Western wheat, as it met their demands far better.

## Why Dollar Wheat is Expected.

Summing up the yield of wheat in all of the principal countries of the world it is shown that there is an immense falling off in the production this year as compared to previous records. The most authentic estimate places the shortage at 500,000,000 bushels. While the yield of wheat in the United States this year is considerably above the average, and the quality is the best that has been seen for some years past, it is stated by gentlemen fully acquainted with the grain movement that this country will not be able to supply one-quarter of this amount. Consequently, \$1 wheat would not be a surprise to many dealers, while others actually assert that in a very short time the above price will be realized.

## A Cool Reception.

When the representatives of Debs & Co., in the persons of Knight, Llewellyn and Ferguson, came to Hopkins county a few days ago to stop the production of coal and ask the miners here to join the big army of starvation, they found that the miners of the county were getting the highest wages—the regular wages of years past. No grievance existed, harmony prevailed between operator and workman, and there was no reason why these people should stop work. When it was suggested to Knight & Co., that the strike had been declared against operators paying reduced wages, and that the companies in this field paying full prices should be let alone, the reply was: "The shipping of your coal irritates the striking miners across the river and we shall try to stop it. Stop the bread, forsooth, from the mouths of honest men and their families in Kentucky because it irritates the miners of Indiana and Illinois who will not work."

When it was shown to Knight & Co. that the St. Bernard Coal Company had an individual contract with its employees that would take thirty days to abrogate; that interference with this contract by outside parties would make them liable for fine and damages; it was positively announced by Llewellyn, one of the party, with no dissent from the others, that he would violate the law to accomplish his purpose. All this is the natural outcome of the misguided teachings of the organization to which Messrs. Knight & Co. belong and develops a creed like this: "Owe the laws of our own sweat and set at naught the laws of God and of the land." What impudence, what an insult to every citizen of Hopkins county! And the result? Well, the law of the land was not violated at Earlington by these men. The mines were not stopped. The agitator was swept aside with contempt as the honest worker went to his daily toil.

## NEWS NOTES.

The report that a body of Indians will make a pigmy-raid from Shawnee, Mo., to Southern Kentucky is causing the good people of Morgantown little sleep at night.

In a friendly reply to Japan's protest against the annexation of Hawaii, Secretary Sherman gives the assurance that in case of annexation the

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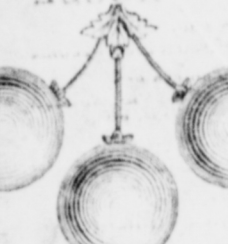
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Col. W. Fred Long, the building and loan man, was leaning back in a comfortable cushion in an Illinois Central coach the other day. He had just finished reading the "Courier-Journal," and seeing a fellow rider fence some distance ahead, he lazily wrote comments of himself on the margin and when the train passed tossed it out to him. He didn't know anything about the fellow's politics, but just took it for granted he was a populist, because he looked like one, and "rubbered" back and forth what he'd done when he discovered the name of the paper.

When he drew his head in he was unharmed. His elegant headpiece had come to join the paper, and it didn't have his compliments written in it, either. The attention he attracted at Hopkinsville when he started forth bereft of a headpiece for a new hat was ample punishment for the attempted joke on the fence.

Mr. Linah Cobb, of the county court house, tells this dog story: Several years ago when he was abroad a seamen's route to the Hawaiian Islands, the favorite pet aboard was a black-legged feline, and about the ugliest specimen of its genus that could have been found. He asked the captain why he didn't catch it by its crooked legs and leave it overboard.

"Why, I wouldn't take anything on earth for that dog," the captain replied. "It saved the ship once. It happened in port. Every body had gone ashore except me. I was lying comfortably on the deck and slept several beds were outside air."

A spark from a passing ship ignited some of the bedding, and nobody knew anything about it but the dog. It had fallen into a dose when I felt the dog tugging at my trousers and looking loudly. He acted so strangely that finally, after darning forward several times and learning to look up into my face and whine, I followed him and found the burning bed. It would have been a matter of only a short time until the flames would have spread in the house and the whole ship no doubt burned. I have always been grateful to him, and he never looks ugly to me."

The captain's affection for the dog was further explained when the ship finally arrived at her destination. The dog was among the first to reach the shore, and darted directly towards the captain's home, some distance away. When he got there the family knew immediately the captain was back because of the dog's presence, hunched up the house, and sent the dog after him, solely in charge of the dog, which held the reins in his mouth, and drove like an old stager.

Men have such deceitful ways, sometimes.

"You look awful bad today," said Jones to Brown yesterday.

Of course Jones and Brown are not real names of these gentlemen, but they'll answer the purpose.

"Yes," replied Brown, who was just recovering from the after-effects of a jazz, "I'm full of malaria, and you know how a fellow feels when he's a fix for that." It came near getting me down this time. I'll tell you it did."

"Ha, ha! old fellow," laughed Jones. "I've had a few times myself, but I never heard it called that before."

"Well, on your word?" recently demanded Brown of the fellow who got sick with malaria, something about him."

"Oh, no! malaria, no, malaria!" I've been often afflicted with this "malaria" myself, and I'm grateful to you, Brown, for telling me what it was. Next time I catch it and can't walk up the steps at home after I've spent two solid hours finding the right place, I'll know what to tell my wife's maid when she lets me in."

And they parted in widely different humors.

A young man at the union depot yesterday took a nickel from his pocket, and gave it to a drummer.

"Oh, I never refuse money," laughed the drummer, as he pocketed the coin.

"Do you know the reason I gave it to you?" inquired the young man.

"Cause you thought I needed it worse than you, I reckon," guessed the drummer with a smile.

"No, it was because I had \$13, to the cent, and I always was afraid of that number 13, so I gave you the nickel, and now have \$12.95 left."

"Well, I don't want the d—d nickel either, if that's the case," concluded the drummer, and taking it out of his pocket he threw it over a train of box cars, where it will probably be found by some boy too small and fond of nickels to be superstitious.

Here is a fair sample of the average country correspondent's grammar. It is an extract from a communication of one of the Murray Ledger's correspondents, and a pointer with average intelligence ought to know better than to "set up" such stuff. Even the villain at LaBelle Park would know better.

Old Uncle Dick, Edward Wells has done took his departure for the Lone Star state, and has since wrote back that he will never make Kentucky his home again, but when Miss Janice glances over his item her tears and sobs will be rather limited.

The Mayfield papers continue to a a at that hotel bill contracted here by the Mayfield club on its last

and only visit. The paper is the "Mirror," as follows:

"The Paducah boys play so badly, and not so. Inconceivable! They don't like to get another game with our boys. They not only let our boys beat them to death in the game, but the boys here had to pay all of the hotel bill at Paducah when the game was played there. Several notices of the shabby treatment our boys received while there have been made in the papers here, which the Paducah boys denied in part, and attempted to excuse; but the entire hotel bill, consisting of two meals, rooms, and baths, has been paid by Henry Hale, member of the 'Norman Grays'."

The above is about as true as anything might be expected from Mayfield. Mr. Hale paid the Palmer House \$8, and the bill was \$11.00. The Paducah club paid the remainder, and probably would have paid it all had it agreed to do so. The Mayfield club was not expected to arrive until the afternoon, but came in early in the morning and spent the day at the hotel. The Paducah boys contended that they never agreed or intended to pay any such unnecessary expenses, and if the Mayfield boys wanted to make them pay they could pay for them themselves, which they did.

While the rules of hospitality might require the Paducah boys to pay the whole bill, the Paducah club seemed to have had some consideration for its pocket-book, and it did for the matter. This is no intended to do, and the Paducah boys, for they in all probability, from one standpoint, did not do right, but to show that they at least had some grounds for believing they were justified in acting as they did.

Few men make as much as \$2,500 in one day, yet a Paducah man made it yesterday. It was on what some call a "punch," and his name is not given principally because it was not divulged to the writer. Early in the forenoon he went down to a local stock exchange and purchased 50,000 bushels of wheat at 90¢. This cost him \$500 or thereabout, or rather less, as the amount he had to pay down on his purchase.

Wheat advanced to 96¢ during the day, and closed at this figure. Hence the gentleman made something over two cents on each of his 50,000 bushels—about \$2,500. He did not close out, however, but held 70¢ and during the day bought 15,000 additional bushels, expecting the advance to reach 91¢ by today.

Frederick Lemaire, the famous French comedian who died in 1870, and to whose memory a monument is soon to be erected in Paris, began his stage career in an humble way. The "Gaulois" tells the story of his first appearance, which was in the theater of the Varieties Amuseuses. The comedian, who was then a young man, presented himself before the director of the theater, who asked him what special roles he wished to play.

"Oh, I am not particular," was his reply.

"Very well, consider your self engaged," from today you are a member of my troupe on a salary of 50 francs (\$6) a month. Are you satisfied?"

"I should be hard to please if I were not."

"In that case you may begin your work on the day after tomorrow."

"But—my part?"

"Oh, it will not take long to learn that. You have strong lungs! Just shout a bit to let me hear of your power."

Frederick Lemaire gave a roar which shook the windows in the casements.

"Excellent!" exclaimed the director enthusiastically. "You will make a magnificent lion!"

"A lion?" repeated the astonished applicant.

"Why, yes, a lion; I predict certain success for you, considering how you can roar."

## CALLING MEETING.

School Board Conference Building

The board of education met last night in called session. Those present were: Byrd, J. B. Beas, Terrell, Smith, Leake, Rose and Watson.

The award of repair contract on Longfellow building, made to Coleman & Ingram, was reconsidered and made to P. M. Baker & Co., the former refusing to give bond.

E. E. Howell, the next lowest bidder, was awarded the Lincoln building repairs for the same reason.

Trustees Smith, Byrd and Watson were appointed a special committee to look after the new high school building location and report back to the board.

## PRIMARY AT MAYFIELD.

Democrats Out in the Metropolis of Graves Today.

The city Democratic party is being held at Mayfield today to nominate candidates for the various city offices.

There is excitement and gathering, and some of the contests will be particularly warm.

The candidates for the office of Mayor are as follows:

Mayor—A. J. Watts, C. J. White, George R. A. Lewis.

Police Judge—J. P. Evans, E. E. Johnston, Herman West, J. W. Hocter, T. W. McNeilly, B. A. Neale.

City Attorney—W. K. Wall, E. C. Serv, L. B. Elkins.

Chief of Police—W. H. Druff, C. H. McNutt, J. J. Slater.

Assessor—R. M. Hed-e.

Treasurer—W. H. Benjamin.

City Clerk—W. F. Anderson, A. B. Carlin.

First ward—John Stark, W. D. Foster, J. A. Hamlet, A. M. Win.

# COLORED DEPARTMENT.

The Happy Moments Club will meet at Sister Maggie Stow's Thursday night.

Miss Ernestine Jenkins, who has been visiting Mrs. Morris Hovels, has returned to her home in Cairo.

Miss Laura Crawford, of Goleonda, who has been visiting her cousin, Mr. T. D. Hibbs, returned home today.

A storm party was given at Elder Harrison's Thursday night by L. R. Matherson and Mr. Elane Benne. The party met at Mrs. Maggie Stow's.

Alonso Ashford says don't talk to him about borrowing his wheel any more. This was after he had sold it to a fellow who broke off about two dollars worth of it last night. Alonso had a cooler but he was hot anyhow.

If it go to Cairo tomorrow on the excursion who say they are going, the Goleonda will be well loaded, some of the best people in the city will be on board. All rowdies will be positively forbidden, and the best of every one good. A. Polien, Manager.

Miss Ella Covington entertained a number of her friends last night at her residence, 320 South Seventh street. The guests present were: Misses Georgia Jones, Bessie Rucker, Bessie Davis, Lucy Bright, Mamie Brooks, Myrtle Skelton, Gertrude Jenkins, of Ill., and Miss Emma Washington; Messrs. Moses Copeland, Given Clark Robert Jones, Prentiss Rucker, Lander Crider, Jesse Copeland and S. K. Gholston. The married guests were Mrs. Callie Seabree, Mrs. Franklin Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Snead. Also Mr. D. K. Avant.

# PAUDCAH BARBER

And His Unique Methods of Advertising a Barber Shop.

J. W. Ross, an itinerant barber, claiming to be from Paducah, was given employment by George Moncove, a barber at Columbus, Ky., in Cairo. The rest is told by the Columbus "Enterprise."

## DIAM MARKED FOR ASSASSINATION.

Murder Mission to Mexico of an "Lafian Anarchist."

"San Antonio, Tex., August 20.—E. P. Gonzales, editor of "El Gringo" and "El Pueblo," a Spanish paper published in the town of Beville, is in the midst of a letter of recent date from a confidential friend in Mexico, in which it is stated that the authorities have discovered an "Lafian anarchist," who has just arrived in that country for the purpose of taking the life of President Diaz. The anarchist, however, is kept under the most strict surveillance, and will be arrested at the first demonstration of violence, or as soon as the chair of evidence can be linked to the close. The letter is from an official in the city of Mexico, and Mr. Gonzales promises for its reliability.

It is believed the anarchist who has attacked President Diaz for his violence belongs to the bloody band known as the "Lafian anarchists," and that his mission to America is to perpetrate a general plan.

From all parts of the country reports are being sent out of advances of wages by manufacturers. One of the most recent is from the "Lafian" of 1892. This was all the more gratifying because it was unexpected and unexpected just at this time. All things are not in a season, but the frequency of the reports of better business in many places indicates that the standard of '92, the banner year of protection, will soon be restored all around.

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Another Big Lot of Those Dollar Black Skirts, at The Bazaar.

The demand for these skirts is so great that we are unable to get enough of them. So in order that no one will be disappointed, we will sell only one to a customer.

For next week only we will sell the renowned R. G. corset, the most perfect fitting corset in the world, at the ridiculously low price of 75c. These corsets are made in black only, and have never been sold under \$1.50. Only one corset to a customer.

500 beautiful all-silk plaid children's ties, regular price 25c., go this week for 15 cents.

In millinery we will sell all our summer hats below cost. A good straw sailor for 25c. \$2 trimmed hats for 65 cents.

In order to fully introduce our hair department, we will shampoo the hair for 25 cents, and manicure finger nails for 25 cents. This offer for one week only. Tuesday, Aug. 24, we will curl bangs free.

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Bayle's Fresh Potato Chips.  
Pickwick Club Coffee, three pounds for \$1.00.  
Nice Fresh Wafer Crackers.  
Uncolored Japan Tea, 60c a pound—very fine for iced tea.  
New Asparagus Tips.

Try our Bonita Package Coffee—two pounds for 25c.

ED JONES, The Second Street Grocer.

### WEATHER REPORT.

Fair tonight and Sunday.  
LOCAL MENTION.

For timbers, joists, scantling and rough boxing, go to the McKinnis Veneer & Package Co. 1141

To Heat the Court House. The work of putting in the steam heating apparatus at the county court house has begun, and will probably be completed by September 1st by Contractor Hannan. The final heating outfit will arrive in a few days, and probably be ready by the middle of September.

To Cure Constipation Forever. Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. 10 C. C. Co. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

Nice ash stove wood, delivered promptly to any part of the city. Telephone 29. E. E. BELL. 11

On the Day Force. Officer Frank Orr is temporarily on the day force in place of Officer Fayette Jones, who is ill.

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Will fill your coal house now cheaper than anyone. Call and make contract.

Hatfield School. The fall session will begin September 13, 1897. Day school, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; night school, 7 p. m. to 9 p. m. Prices, \$2 to \$5 per month. Your patronage is solicited. 55

Death Relieved Him. Mr. W. D. Pippin, of the Grahamville section, died yesterday of congestion of the stomach, after a several days illness. He was 40 years of age, and leaves in addition to his wife several children. The remains were buried at Bayou church cemetery today.

For sale or rent an elegant eight-room residence, corner Jefferson and Fountain avenue. W. F. KNOX LOW. 2042

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50 cents or a case of chills?

If you had rather have the 50c we will keep the medicine and you the chills.

Claxton Tasteless Chill Tonic

Will positively cure chills and fever. Money refunded if it does not cure, at

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## PERSONALS.

Mr. B. B. Davis left at noon for Mayfield.

Mr. F. Rigglesberger is back from Chicago.

Mr. Collin McGinnis left at noon for Creal.

Mr. Victor Van De Male is again in the city.

Mr. N. J. Dilday left last night for Louisville.

Mrs. Clint Dean has returned from Union City.

J. McElrath, of Murray, was in the city today.

Capt. Robt. E. Lee, of Memphis, is at the Palmer.

Charles E. Hughes, of Golconda, is at the Palmer.

Edwin Corlis, of Metropolis, is at the Palmer today.

Mr. H. H. Buquo, of Erin, Tenn., is at the Palmer.

Capt. Billy Lewis came in today from St. Louis.

Judge W. D. Greer returned this morning from Creal.

W. W. Hiddleston, of Swanton, Va., is at the Palmer.

Mrs. Jim Foster and child returned at noon from Dawson.

Mr. and Mrs. Will I. Levy left at noon for a sojourn at Creal.

Miss Katie Plumb has returned from a visit to Charleston, Mo.

Mr. Murrell Buckner went out to Hopkinsville this morning.

Rev. M. E. Chappell returned at noon from Hill Springs, Crittenden county.

Photographer W. G. McFadden left this morning for Dawson, on business.

Mr. D. L. Redden, of Murray, was in the city today en route to Edyville.

Miss Mamie Jodge has returned from a pleasant sojourn of several weeks in New York.

Roate Agent E. C. Spence, of the Southern Express Company, was in the city today.

Mr. H. H. Evans, the oil man, is quite sick at his home, 510 South Fourth, of malarial fever.

Mr. J. E. English returned this morning from St. Louis, having remained but half an hour in the Future Great.

Mr. O. T. Davis, of the "Register," leaves tomorrow for Calvert City. From there he goes to Nashville to attend the Centennial.

Rev. M. E. Chappell returned to the city today from a three weeks' outing, spent with about seventy-five friends from Fredonia and Marion, camping at Hill Springs, in Crittenden county. He reports an enjoyable time.

### RIGHT IN THE FRONT.

The Paducah Milling and Elevator Company Leads.

Wheat has been bringing top prices in Paducah ever since the remarkable rise began. In fact our market has been ahead of all other Kentucky markets. This is due to the pushing business of the Paducah Milling and Elevator Company, who have shown they will pay the highest price. They are now paying one dollar a bushel.

Wants Back His Goose. Engineer Joe Flach, of the Bettie Owen, requests the "gentleman" who stole his goose a night or two since to come back and get the other one, as they are worthless except in pairs.

Grape Phosphate, when made right, is a most delicious drink. Try it at Stutz's.

Practice Shoot. Yesterday's practice shoot of the Paducah Gun Club resulted as follows:

First shoot, twenty-five birds at extreme angles—Lang 18, Dr. Bolus 18, Nemo 16, George Robertson 16, Lewis 14, Bob Reeves 14.

Second shoot, twenty-five birds per man, expert rules—Lang 19, Lewis 17, Nemo 15, Dr. Bolus 17, George Robertson 17.

Steamboat repair work a specialty by W. J. Wolf, 216 Court street. 21a3

Rucker's Case Continued. Alex Rucker, colored, was to have been tried before Justice Winchester this morning for assaulting Harry Hopson, but the case was not ready for trial and was continued until Monday.

If you are thirsty try Orange Phosphate at Stutz's. It is very fine.

Candidate for Magistrate. Judge George Phelps today announces as a candidate for magistrate in the First district, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

For rent, a three-story business house on Lower Broadway. Apply to R. Rowland. 18a6

An Attractive Catalogue. The Paducah Furniture Company has just issued from the Sux job department, one of the most complete and attractive catalogues ever sent out of Paducah. The work was all done in the Sux job room, and shows that nothing up-to-date in the art preservative is impossible in Paducah, and that the popular Paducah Furniture Company knows where to go when it wants the best work at the lowest price.

Spilled the Hay. A hay wagon broke down at Fourth and Court at noon and the hay had to be transferred to another wagon and hauled off. A front wheel was wrenched off in turning.

New Tin Shop. W. J. Wolf, formerly with Scott Hardware Company as foreman, has opened up a tin shop at No. 216 Court street. He will do all kinds of steamboat work, roofing, guttering and repair work. Guarantees all work to be first-class and solicits your trade. 21a3

## GREATEST SALE OF

# Clothing and Shoes

EVER HELD IN THE CITY OF PADUCAH.

Our buyer has just returned from the east, where he has purchased the entire bankrupt stock of Carl Schmidt & Co., of Chicago, which was one of the best selected stocks of Shoes and Clothing in the city of Chicago.

300 prs Men's Fine Shoes, worth \$2.00, \$2.25 and 2.50, go in one lot at 99 cents.

300 prs Men's Fine Dress Shoes, worth \$3.50 and \$4.50, go in one lot at \$1.75, all styles of toes.

200 prs Fine Ladies' Shoes, worth \$2.00, \$2.25 and \$2.50, go in one lot at 99 cents.

Great Bargains in Children's Shoes and Slippers.

### CLOTHING--

Men's Fine Business Suits, worth \$8.50, \$9.50, and \$12.00, go in one lot at \$5.50.

Men's Fine Dress Suits, worth \$15.00, \$16.50, and \$17.50, go in one lot at \$11.50.

Men's Fine Clay Worsted Tailor-made Suits, silk lined, worth \$10.00, \$22.00 and \$24, go in one lot at \$12.50.

You cannot afford to miss this sale.

## PADUCAH AUCTION AND STORAGE CO.

228 and 230 Court St. Cor. 3rd & Court.

### CHURCHES AND SOCIETIES.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN—Services as usual tomorrow at the Cumberland Presbyterian church corner Sixth and Court.

GERMAN EVANGELICAL—No services at the Fifth street German Evangelical church. Sunday school 9:15 a. m.

TENTH STREET CHRISTIAN—Tenth Street Christian church services tomorrow. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Communion at 10:45. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Eld. Albert Nichols, of Metropolis, Ill. A full attendance of members of the church is desired. And the public cordially invited.

FIRST BAPTIST—Preaching at the usual hours at the First Baptist church corner Fifth and Jefferson streets by the Pastor, Rev. W. K. Penrod. Subject of morning sermon "Close Communion." Music by the choir, Mr. Harry Gilbert organist.

### FRANK ASSIGNS

The Second Street Merchant Turns His Property Over to Mr. J. R. Lemon—Is Now In Jail Here.

A. L. Frank, the Second street merchant in jail on a charge of grand larceny, and alleged to belong to the gang of shop-lifters, today filed a deed of assignment to Mr. J. R. Lemon, of the Lemon-Grenory Hat Company. He states that he desires all his creditors to be treated fairly, and for this reason makes the assignment.

Frank, as is probably remembered, was recently held over on two or three felony charges, together with his brother and three others. The cases all come up at the next term of court.



## The Facts of the Case

To close out Summer Oxfords and Slippers for ladies, misses and children, we will cut the price 20 per cent, on every pair, for 10 days.

COCHRAN & OWEN

Shoes bought of us polished free.

331 Broadway.



### POLICE COURT.

Another Interesting Session Today.

Isom Elata, the colored cook at the Palmer who gave Thomas Miller, an old colored man, a good trouncing for insulting his wife, was fined \$1 and costs this morning.

The case against Miller for using insulting language towards the woman, was continued until Monday.

The nuisance case against Mr. E. H. Woolfolk has not yet been decided, and was today continued until Monday.

Pineapple Sherbet at Stutz's.

Those Who are ill. Officers Fayette Jones and Jeff Barnhart are on the sick list.

Mrs. B. B. Davis is quite ill.

John, a son of Mr. Joe Potter, is quite ill.

Mrs. Dan Galvin, who has been ill of typhoid fever, is convalescent.

Mr. H. W. Barbee, the N. C. & St. L. engineer who has been ill for some time from dysentery, is better today.

Mr. John Dipple is on the sick list.

Capt. Jimmie Owen was able to be out again today, after several days' illness.

Dave Wilson, the hackman, is ill at the City hospital.

Mr. Thomas F. Terrell today decided to his sons, Messrs. Richard and E. F. Terrell, respectively, a lot near Monroe and Second, and several acres of land on the Ohio river.

Don't fail to attend the big macaroni lunch at the Merchant's Exchange tonight at 7:30 p. m. L. Lagomarsino.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them.

Dr. J. C. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contain no mercury, and is taken later daily, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, by way of the kidneys, and sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made socially free.

Sold by druggists, price 75c. per bottle.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

A. J. Tobacco Split and Smoke Your Life Away.

To quit tobacco easily and forever, use Dr. J. C. Cheney's "Smoker's Cure," take two pills, full of life, nerve and vigor, take two pills, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c. or \$1.00. Care returned. Booklets and sample free. Address: Smoking Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

## HOSE

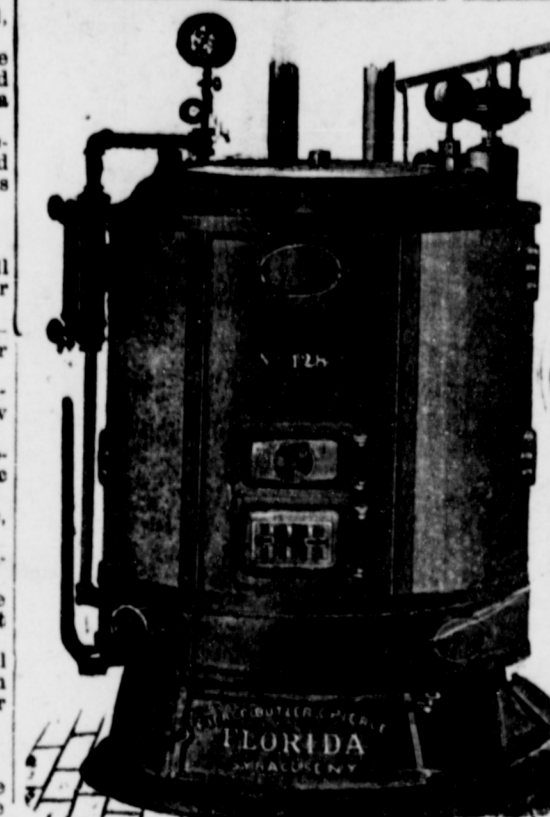
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Big Drive in Rubber Hose.

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120 North 5th Street,

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Office Hours 7:30 A. M. 1-3 P. M. 7-9 P. M.

Telephone 364

Did a Good Business. Mr. J. P. Buchanan, the popular and hustling representative of the American Biscuit Company, is in the city, and today sold to his trade in Paducah seven carloads of candy, crackers, etc., which will be shipped at once. Mr. Buchanan says business is picking up everywhere, and that Paducah merchants are evidently not behind the times.

All kinds of repair work done at reasonable prices by W. J. Wolf, 216 Court street. 21a3

Educate Your Howels With Cascarets. Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c 25c. H. C. C. Co. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

Not a Attempt at Suicide. It was reported today that a young man employed at a North Side manufactory had attempted suicide, but inquiry developed the fact that he had only taken a dose of laudanum as medicine.

BROADWAY HOUSE. Best hotel in the city. Best accommodations, most rooms. MEALS 25c—30c PER DAY. CORNER B. & 5th and High street, MAYFIELD, KY. J. R. HESTER, Prop.

## GRAND OPENING

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